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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **MATSUMOTO, Takashi, et al.**

Group Art Unit: **1756**

Serial No.: **10/562,644**

Examiner: **Shean C. WU**

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For. **CHROMAN DERIVATIVE AND LIQUID CRYSTAL COMPOSITION  
CONTAINING THE SAME**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: December 8, 2006

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 8, 2006 for one month, from November 8, 2006, to December 8, 2006.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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